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Presented for filing is a new original patent application of:

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Title: MARKING DEVICE

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

| | <u>Pages</u> |
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| Specification | 14 |
| Claims | 9 |
| Abstract | 1 |
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| Drawing(s) | 4 |

Enclosures:

- Assignment cover sheet and an assignment, 2 pages, and a separate \$40 fee.
- New disclosure information, including:
Information disclosure statement, 1 page.
PTO-1449, 1 page.
References, 1 item.
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- A certified copy of the priority application will be filed at a later date.
- Postcard.

Under 35 USC 119, this application claims the benefit of a foreign priority application filed in United Kingdom, serial number 0100495.1, filed January 9, 2001.

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